

DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH POLICY/PROCEDURE

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PURPOSE

1.1 To establish a Department-wide policy that establishes the expectation of compliance at the Policy Level for published Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health (LACDMH) Clinical Practice Parameters.

POLICY

2.1 Clinical interventions in LACDMH directly-operated and contract agency programs must be within approved LACDMH clinical parameters, unless accompanied by documentation in the clinical record that suitably justifies the reason for any intervention that falls outside of those parameters. It is the responsibility of directly-operated and contract agency managers to ensure that their clinical staff are informed of published clinical practice parameters by reviewing them on a regular basis on the LACDMH website or through other means.

<u>REFERENCE</u>

1. LACDMH Clinical Practice Parameters

REVIEW DATE

May 2018

RESPONSIBLE PARTY

LACDMH Office of the Medical Director